

## Pucksters Win 3-2; Over 3,000 at Athletics Night

### Hale Goal Wins Tilt; Dion Stars

#### RAGGED GAME

#### Referees Hand Out Cheap Penalties To Red Team

By DAVID MARKS

In a sloppily played game, the Red and White pucksters managed to turn back Les Carabins 3-2 at the Verdun Auditorium on Saturday night. Showing only flashes of the brilliant playing that captured the Thompson Trophy, the Redmen twice had to come from behind as the boys from the University of Montreal dominated the play for minutes at a time. Contributing greatly to the poor display was the inefficient handling of the game by Pean Bennett and Danny Murray.

The game started fast with the line of Sinclair and the Hales dominating the play for the first two minutes. A cheap penalty to Ward Pitfield at the four-minute mark seemed to take the spirit out of the McGillians. The game became very ragged and at the ten-minute mark, Dion slapped in a pass from Pinard from about 15 feet out. The rest of the period was slow except for the last five minutes when Gignac was off for his second penalty, and the line of Pitfield, Spiller and Petit kept the puck in the Carabins' end.

#### PETIT SCORES

Before a minute of the second period was gone, Joe Petit took a pass from Bob Brodick at the centre ice zone, outraced Gignac a la Maurice Richard, swept in front of Mercer and slipped the puck in the net. A penalty to Sinclair at the nine-minute mark, and the resulting pressure put on by Alcide Hebert's boys resulted in Pepin slipping the puck past Gelleneau on a pass from Gignac. George Hale took a pass from brother Tommy with the period three-quarters gone on the prettiest play of the evening to even the count.

With two minutes remaining in the period Ward Pitfield was slashed across the eye but no penalty resulted. Seconds later Ernie Spiller took a stick across the eye resulting in the drawing of blood and four stitches but again there was no penalty handed out on the play.

#### SCORES WINNER

The third period continued with the Carabins in control of the play as a continuing march to the penalty bench disrupted the McGill attack. With George Hale and Spiller in the penalty box at the ten minute mark, a brilliant stand by the Redmen led by Broderick, Pitfield and Petit held off Hebert's boys. With Pinard sitting in the penalty bench, Tommy Hale took a pass from "Goose" Gosselin to put the Redmen in the lead.

Dave Campbell's boys ragged the Carabins.

### Candidates for Law Representative to SEC



H. G. W. Blockley

In submitting my candidature as faculty representative to the students of the Law Faculty I would give the following assurances. I promise to endeavour:

1. To consider every problem coming before the Council on its own merits; in a non-partisan view; not in accordance with any pre-conceived "line" of thought or prejudice.

2. To represent, by advancing, fostering and supporting their wishes, the law students in a legal, constitutional fashion.

3. To act in a spirit of conciliation and compromise on all issues, except on those involving attitudes contrary to fundamental democratic principles.

4. To make my contribution towards an attitude of "fair play" concerning the decisions of the Council, no matter whom or what that decision concerns.

5. Generally, to govern my actions and statements solely in the interests of the student body of McGill, and in the interests of the students of the Law Faculty in particular, according to the best of my ability.

I would take this opportunity to thank my nominators for the honour I feel they have done me in putting forward my name as a candidate.



William S. Tyndale

William S. Tyndale, who has been nominated for the position of faculty representative to the S.E.C. for the faculty of Law, did not hand in a platform to the Daily.

#### RINK-AUDITORIUM CAMPAIGN

##### Canvassers' Totals

Women	.....\$2150.00
Men	.....1455.00
Percentage of students who have contributed:	
Arts & Science	.....50%
Medicine	.....46%
Engineering	.....38%
Commerce	.....37%
Dawson	.....25%
Law	.....20%
Dentistry	.....20%
Others	.....51%

### Players' Club To Present Play Today

The second Workshop production of the Players' Club will take place this afternoon in the Union Ballroom at 5:00 p.m. when the club presents Eugene Pillot's "Two Crooks and a Lady." In keeping with the policy of the club regarding these productions, no admission will be charged.

The Workshop have chosen this serious play in an effort to give all members of the club a chance to do the several types of dramatic work.

The plot of play is of how a common thief enlists the aid of beautiful maid in an attempt to steal her paralytic mistress' priceless jewels. But brain triumps over brawn, and the two crooks are foiled.

Doreen Lipik plays the part of the scatterbrain, yet attractive French maid, and John Carnwath is the crook. Naomi Harris is Mrs. Simms-Vane, the chair-confined old lady, and Jean MacLachlan is her companion. Inspector Garrity, as played by Dave Townsend, enters at the end of the play to apprehend the burglars.

Kitty Rainey and Bill Whitaker are the directors of this play. The Play will begin by 5:15 so that all students who finish at five o'clock will have a chance to be seated before the play begins.

#### Student Opinion

### Issue Statement on Revocation Of Roncarelli Liquor License

Student reaction to the recent revocation of restaurant owner Frank Roncarelli's liquor licence on the grounds that Roncarelli had provided bond for members of the Witness of Jehovah sect has resulted in the formation of a committee made up of members of all groups on the campus whose purpose has been expressed by chairman James Paterson as "an opportunity to bring to the minds of the students the definite alienation of civil and religious liberty in our province."

After a brief meeting on Friday afternoon, in which a five man steering committee made up of Paterson, Cranford Pratt, Len Beaton, Leon Davicho, and Vince Goring was elected, a petition now circulating on the campus was drawn up and handed to all those attending a meeting held on Saturday morning. At this latter session, Professor Frank Scott addressed the group on the legal and moral aspects involved in the case. After the meeting, the committee issued the following statement:

Following the general indignation that many students have felt for the blatant persecution that the Jehovah's Witnesses are suffering which culminated in Mr. Duplessis' order seizing the liquor stocks and abrogating Mr. Roncarelli's liquor permit, a meeting of students, representing nearly all religious and

political beliefs at McGill, was held on Friday in the Union Ballroom.

At this meeting the implications of these attacks on civil and religious liberties were discussed. It was the feeling of the meeting that the actions of the Premier of Quebec were so in violation of the spirit of democracy that the full facts should, in the interest of justice, be laid before the student body and suitable action taken to register the strong disapproval of McGill students.

Towards this end a Committee of five members was elected among those present to initiate and coordinate all possible action. This committee called an informal meeting of interested parties on Saturday morning when Professor Frank Scott, a prominent member of the Montreal Civil Liberties League, outlined some of the legal aspects of the Duplessis campaign against the Witnesses. At the meeting it was decided that the committee should take the following action:

- 1) Lay before the students all the available facts and information pertaining to this systematic persecution of a minority.
- 2) Circulate a petition condemning the actions of Mr. Duplessis.
- 3) Request the Students' Executive Council to call a meeting.

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## Voting on Tuesday For Faculty Reps.

Elections for faculty representatives to the Students' Executive Council, groups A and B, of the Scarlet Key Society and for the Red Wings will take place tomorrow, Tuesday, December 10.

The voting will take place between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Elections for the S.E.C. will be conducted by the various undergraduate societies. All women resident students will vote in R.V.C., and non-resident students in the Arts, Medical, and Chemistry buildings. Men students in Arts and Science will vote in the men's common room of the Arts Building, and Dawson students in the Canteen from 10:45 a.m. till 2:00 p.m. Full details of where to vote will be found in this issue.

The following students have been nominated for the various positions:

#### STUDENTS' EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

##### R.V.C.

Jackson, Barbara E.; Motioli, Marie M.; Riley, Drusilla D.; Skare, Mary Ann.

##### ARTS AND SCIENCE

Oliver, Michael K.; Paterson, James A.

##### ENGINEERING

Coates, Donald F., by acclamation.

##### MEDICINE

Borsman, Charles S., by acclamation.

##### Commerce

Gillespie, Alastair; Pfeiffer, Gordon M.; Ronson, John C.

##### Law

Blockley, Hector T.; Tyndale, William S.

##### Theology

Jeans, Jack, by acclamation.

##### Dentistry

Mendell, Jon J., by acclamation.

##### Music

Meade, Cecil Francis, by acclamation.

##### Scarlet Key, Group "A"

Commerce

Cross, Robert S.; Johnson, Frederick O.; Kluger, Leon J.; Pfeiffer, Gordon M.; Rennie, Robert M.; Rubin, Saul H.; Steeves, John W.

Arts and Science

Aikens, Joseph A.; Bedke, William F.; Betts, Paul; Courcy, Emile; Downing, J. P.; Dobell, Anthony, J. P.; MacKay, Robert M.; Pennefather, Richard F.; Parsons, Raymond E.; Thurber, David W. L.; Tetkey, William A.; Weingarten, Louis M.; Tremaine, Arthur R.

ENGINEERING

Blanchfield, Richard J.; Cooper, Ross M.; Cook, Christopher G.; Denovan, John D.; Dye, Robert G.; Jukes, C. E.; Lindsay, Robert J.; Robb, Gordon; Savage, James C.; Ward, William T.; White, Karl A.

LAW

Barclay, Ian A.; Grant, William A.

DENTISTRY

McDougall, Charles O.

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### Candidates for Arts, Science Representative to SEC



Michael Oliver

The representative of the Faculty of Arts and Science on the S.E.C. has a two-fold responsibility. He must have in mind the problems of his own faculty as well as those which affect the student body as a whole.

On behalf of the faculty, I would, if elected, advocate:

1. Increased council support and accommodation for Arts and Science clubs.
2. Further consideration of an increase in the Arts and Science representation on the S.E.C.
3. A solution to the traffic problems of the Arts Building which does not involve the bodily ejection of innocent females attempting to use the front door.

On general University problems, I would focus attention on:

1. Expansion of the score of student governments, especially with regard to athletics.
2. Insuring against the isolation of the Dawson campus, while emphasizing their rights to self-government.

3. Liaison between University authorities and the Students' Society on educational issues, which would allow the student to make a more intelligent selection of courses and lead to reduction of the size of classes and closer student-professor relations. I feel that my work on the Educational Committee of the Arts and Science Undergraduate Society has given me experience with these problems.

4. Full support of Uni-Vets and the proposed university employment service, recognizing the need for student representation on the latter body.

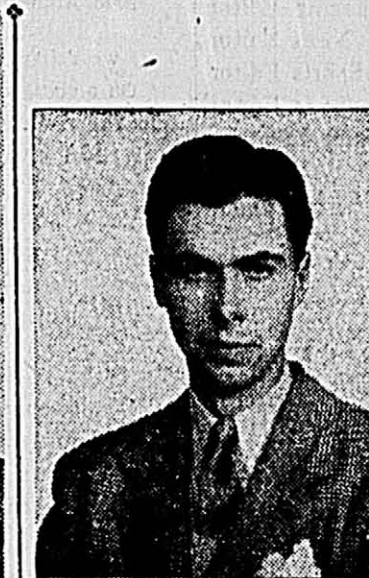
5. Scholarships: Information should be available to all students concerning Canadian and foreign scholarships and every effort made towards increasing their number.

6. Attention to the student housing problem generally, especially with reference to transportation and recreation facilities at the Peterson Residence.

Veteran's Representative on the Student Committee of the S.E.C., Education Committee of the Arts and Science Undergraduate Society, Employment Panel of NFC US, McGill C.C.F. Club, Students Forum, Red and White Revue 1945, Inter-University Debating.

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James Paterson

Students, I believe, are pretty cynical about election platforms. Grandiose and unfulfilled promises have disillusioned voters and lowered the prestige of student government. I believe that the primary function of a representative is to work for the immediate and practical interests of his faculty; naturally these will change from time to time, but five points need immediate attention:

- 1) Students want women cheerleaders, and since mid-Victorian prudery in certain quarters is apparently the only obstacle, forceful action should be taken by the Council to achieve this objective.
- 2) The present move to clean up the Athletics office should be strongly supported. It is in the interest of better athletics that students have a larger control over policy. An immediate effort should be made to integrate McGill-Dawson athletics with a view to Dawsonites playing on intercollegiate teams.

3) Housing remains and will remain the number one college problem of veterans and non-veterans alike. Instead of relying on the efforts of campus groups the Council should assume its obvious responsibilities and work to set up a joint committee of students, university authorities and graduates to study and act on this question.

4) An adequate system of checking or group insurance should be instituted immediately to deal with the current crime wave in the Union.

5) The present rulings on girls entering and leaving the Arts Building should be investigated, with a view to eliminating what must appear to many students as deliberate discrimination and rudeness to co-eds.

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### Clarkson Trounces Redmen

#### \$500 DONATED

#### College Spirit Shown In Festivities At Gym Saturday

By PERCY TANNENBAUM

(Daily Staff Writer)

We were cornered by a McGill Grad after all the Athletics Night festivities were over, and never have we seen such enthusiasm over a local athletics event. "By cracky," he extolled, "in all my 25 years of attending McGill events, I have never seen so much spirit shown by the student body." And as he poured me another glass of beer, he continued, "if the Athletics Nights to come are going to be like the one this Saturday, let's have more of them."

And, we can say with all assurance, that the 3000-odd student on-lookers agree with the "Joe College" of yesterday, and of more recent times as well. That figure is not padded either—3000 spectators, and each last one took in the goings-on as if they were starving for the stuff. Yes sir, let's have more and more of them. More basketball, boxing, wrestling, squash, dancing et al, including those smart-looking stewards.

#### \$500 DONATION

Just to illustrate how large and unexpected the attendance was, Chairman Ed Ballon of the Athletics committee, announced that \$500 of Saturday night's total receipts will be turned over to the Rink-Auditorium Campaign.

The spectators certainly had their fill at the Athletics Night on Saturday, and the basketball tilt played a major role in the festivities. The game was one of those fast-breaking, high-scoring matches that are so pleasing to watch, but which take plenty out of you when you are out on the floor. And that is where the Redmen faltered.

For most of the initial half they matched the Clarkson crew basket for basket, but after that they just couldn't keep up to the rapid pace, and the Hodge-coached hoopers surged ahead, finally ending up on the top side of a 42-47 score.

CLARKSON TERRIFIC

The Clarkson ball-playing was a terrific improvement over last season as they showed some fine passing and were as accurate as an

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### Student Vets Hold Meeting On Tuesday

Student veterans of McGill will meet again on Tuesday at five o'clock in the Union Ballroom, and if sufficient numbers are on hand, the meeting will proceed with the business that was scheduled to be taken up last Thursday, but was delayed for lack of a quorum.

Election of delegates and the policy to be followed at the forthcoming National Conference of Student Veterans is the main feature of the business together with reports from the various committees.

Reports of the Ottawa visit by a delegation from the Executive will be considered and then will follow a discussion period to decide the policy of the Society with regard to the recent reaffirmation of the Government's stand that no increase in the grant would be considered.

The meeting cannot be held without a turn out of fifty per cent. of the membership, and the executive have requested that every member should make a determined effort to be present on this occasion. If a quorum is not in attendance, the executive of the Vets' Society will make special arrangements to provide for the nomination and election of delegates to the Conference.

#### Charged with Libel

### McGill Student Jailed for Distributing Rose Pamphlet

One McGill student is under arrest and other arrests are expected today in connection with the confiscation of copies of a leaflet entitled "The Defence of Fred Rose", by the Montreal Police's anti-subversive squad last night. The pamphlet is claimed to be a direct attack on the government and on the Royal Commission on Espionage.

Following a series of raids throughout the city yesterday, McGill student Simon Malamed, 5115 Esplanade Avenue, was arrested by the Montreal police department for allegedly distributing the first copies of the leaflet, and several simultaneous raids were made on homes of organisers of the Labor Progressive Party.

Malamed, who was held without bail, will appear today in Criminal Court on a charge of seditious libel under Article 134 of the Criminal Code, an accusation similar to that laid against Witnesses of Jehovah found distributing the leaflet "Quebec's Burning Hate."

Picked up on St. Urbain Street in the middle of the afternoon as

he allegedly went from door to door giving away "The Defence of Fred Rose." Malamed is claimed to have been also asking for signatures for a new petition to have the local MP freed on bail pending hearing of his conviction.

Booked at No. 4 Police Station, he was refused bail and visitors pending his transfer to detective headquarters for further questioning and identification. Chief Crown Prosecutor Oscar Gagnon, K.C., who had carefully studied the text of "The Defence of Fred Rose", was consulted by detectives before they laid the serious charge of seditious libel against the 22-year-old student. It is reported that Malamed will be refused bail for at least three days in order that detectives will be able to question him further.

Pamphlet is said to claim that Rose was held without bail pending hearing of his appeal on "malicious and false representations" by the Crown. It also criticised the judgment of the Court of Appeals confirming Mr. Justice Wilfrid LaSalle's refusal to grant bail to Rose pending hearing of his appeal.

#### Veteran Affairs

### Students from Local Schools Discuss Coming Conference

Yesterday afternoon student veteran representatives from the various schools of Montreal and district met to discuss the coming National Conference which will take place on the 27, 28, 29 December this year.

A preliminary informal discussion of the aims of the Conference revealed general agreement as to the importance of holding the Conference and the need for more sustained action on student veteran problems in the future.

On the question of increasing the present grants for student veterans, Bill Archer, Vice-President of the McGill Student Veterans' Society, favored helping the "10 or 12 veterans we know of at McGill" who have financial difficulties

rather than pressing the government to change its policy. This was the only expression of opinion opposed to calling for an increase of the grants.

The meeting was well attended, with representatives from the University of Montreal, Sir George Williams, Macdonald College, Loyola College, The Art Association of Montreal, Dawson College, McGill University, and V.R.C., one of the many vocational training schools in Montreal. Everyone present expressed enthusiasm about the coming Conference, and felt that this meeting and those to be held in the future would help to ensure an even more successful Conference this year than last.

#### DECEMBER EXAMINATIONS

The Special December examinations are final examinations for Veterans completing a year in the Faculty of Arts and Science at this time, e.g., those who entered in May, and also for Veterans required to write them as supplementals.

Students who are half-way through a year, e.g., those who entered in October, will write the regular January examinations in first-term half courses. All courses with January or May examinations will continue until Friday, 20th December, the last day of lectures before Christmas.

Montreal students in doubt about the examinations they must write should consult Dr. Hatcher. Dawson students should consult Professor Craig.

#### More Part-Time Jobs

### Univet Enterprises Requests Student Vets' Financial Help

Univet Enterprises' Association reports a marked increase in the number of part-time jobs coming in since the leaflet raid over Montreal. With a full-time secretary now in the office, the organization is rapidly approaching the status of a highly-efficient job-placing bureau.

Difficulty in contacting vet students listed under the different job headings is piling up a backlog of jobs to be filled. "Veterans on the campus who want jobs and have as yet not been called by Univet, should phone HA. 6405 and have themselves listed on the "Jobs Wanted sheet," stated John Pousette, Vice-president of the Enterprise.

Student veterans at Dawson and Lachine, whose need for a part-time job is urgent, should send

post-cards or letters to Univet Enterprises, 475 Pine Avenue West, stating the type of job they would be willing to accept and their free time on week-ends. Cards from Dawson and Lachine will receive a high priority on week-end jobs.

Univet Treasurer, Leon Lipson, stated that the need for financial support from student veterans is great. "Membership fees collected to date have already gone up in smoke or come down in leaflets," he said. He continued, "I wish the student veterans who have already received jobs through Univet would come in and pay the small commission charge. We cannot operate on peanuts and we do want to go after the better type of job at worthwhile pay rates. Without co-operation from the vets, we can only mark time until we get financial support."



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## Where Do We Stand?

Where do we, the college students, stand on the question of the repression of a minor religious group? There are serious undertones to the apparently unimportant events now occurring in this city.

What are the facts? Members of a religious sect known as Jehovah's Witnesses have been arrested while attempting to sell pamphlets and tracts expressing their beliefs and opinions. They have been charged with a number of minor offenses, many have been required to post exorbitant bail, or refused bail, and have generally been treated in a manner contrary to the tenets of British justice.

Where does that leave us? We as college students are members of a minority. Any unwarranted attack, and deprivation of rights directed against any minority is directed against us. There is no person in Canada today who is not a member of a minority. The English in Quebec are in the minority. The French in Canada as a whole are outnumbered. No group even approaches being a majority of the entire population. The lesson of Germany, so recently defeated, proves that the minority which allows a smaller group to be trampled on will be smashed in its turn. This is not scare-mongering nor fantasy, but fact within the memory of the youngest freshman.

Universities have long upheld the tradition of being constantly in the forefront of all battles for liberty of human thought. It is a tradition to be proud of and to be maintained. One year ago the students of this university at a general meeting of the Students' Society passed resolutions supporting Argentine students who were then under armed siege by a dictatorial government. Many of us wondered at that time how we and our acquaintances would react to a similar situation should it arise here at home. Let us hope we never have to find out. There are no brown-shirted storm troopers sitting in our classrooms to supervise the lectures of our professors. The departments of letters are still free to say what they will. There is no ban on Socrates.

This is bigger than a few dozen members of a small sect or the rights of one business man. It affects everyone who refuses to have his thoughts delivered to him by authority sealed in air-tight cans.

A committee has been set up on the campus to steer the way for action against the high-handed action of Mr. Duplessis in this instance. We, as university students, must indicate our dislike of such undemocratic tactics by protesting to the city and to the Provincial government. But only if we are united and wholehearted in our disapproval can our voice be heard. —A. K.

## WITH LIBERTY AND JUSTICE FOR ALL—

Ancient Myth

by

Leonard R. Ashley and Ivan M. Aron

Prejudice is the reason of fools—Voltaire.  
In a city of Light and of Reason and Truth  
There's been quite a commotion of late.  
For it seems that a Group That Are Wearing  
Green Socks  
Have incurred the Authorities' hate.  
They were seen (on the streets) in their Socks  
every day  
Which they wore without shame or remorse!  
"It's illegal, immoral, idolatrous, vain!"  
Said Authority, "Stop it by force."

They were dragged into Court and remanded for years  
On a charge of DeMortuis Nil  
Ipso Facto Warrento D. G. Rex et Imp.  
As laid down in the Tolerance Bill.  
"It's illegal, it's Nazi, it's Fascist, it's RED!  
You're a dirty disgusting disgrace.  
You've no right to conflict with Our Right to  
Condemn!  
Fifty dollars, ten days, and next case!"

"You can't peddle your lies! You can't sell Us  
Green Socks!"  
You must get all your converts unsought.  
Every man has a Right to express his beliefs—  
Except when We say he has not!  
On the tablets of Law it is written in brass  
And your Rights are outlined every one.  
But you exercised them when We said you might  
not.  
You must pay for the Wrong you have done."

"And you, crazy nui, are the worst of them all!"  
Said Authority, starting to seethe.  
"You are Guilty of Furnishing Bail For The Bunch!"  
We're revoking your License to Breathe."  
And all this occurred in the City of Truth  
Just last week, in a country quite near.  
And the Blue Socks (another minority group)  
Are the next on the list, so we hear.

## Time and Tide

Religion and Liberty

### I The Growth of Belief

The origin of man's search for faith is lost in pre-history. Even the most primitive tribes of Polynesia and central Australia know some concept of the supernatural, the sacred, and the spiritual. Since each tribe exists apart from the others, its religion is almost exclusively a tribal matter. Nevertheless, the beliefs of different groups are surprisingly similar. This similarity leads to the theory that more advanced societies, when at an equivalent cultural level, held essentially the same beliefs.  
Early society was limited by the capacity of human memories. The development of the art of writing made the accumulation of knowledge easier. Parallel to the growth of learning was the growth of religious ideas. Where once there had been uniformity, a diversity began to appear. These differences caused alliances between groups holding the same beliefs, and so religion ceased to be the affair of a single tribe.  
It is neither possible nor desirable to trace the development of the great religions. Some, such as Buddhism and Confucianism, make no claim to be anything other than the products of the intellect. Others, of which Christianity and Mohammedism are the best known, claim a divine revelation. All have only a short history compared to the time man has inhabited this sphere. Each has displaced some previous belief. Although most minorities are doomed to failure, every religious and political idea with any following today is the result of a minority having prevailed.

### II. Democracy and Religion.

It is pertinent now to go into the matter of the relations between the state and religion in a democracy. To do this we must make clear the democratic concept. The obvious requirement of a democratic state is periodic elections. This alone, however, is not sufficient; it might mean only that the people have their choice of autocrats. The distinguishing feature of the democratic state is that minorities have the right to exist, and even to grow, provided only that they do so through a process of peaceful persuasion.

In the past religious groups have often been denied freedom of evangelism and assembly. Many groups have nevertheless taken the liberty that was denied them and converted others to their beliefs. The growth of the higher religious beliefs has been accomplished against opposition. History is little more than the record of the origin and growth of higher concepts, both religious and political. Its lessons are three: the futility of opposing change; the injustice frequently done to those who are ahead of their time; and the loss, through a retarded growth in religion and politics to the mass of the people themselves.

### III On Freedom

Freedom is meaningless if it is only the freedom to be right; the power to deny permission to one group is the power to compel submission to another. A man's relation to his God is his personal affair. We cannot abdicate our responsibilities in deciding, each for himself, how he shall worship God. Similarly, we cannot tolerate the abrogation of this right.  
To argue against religious persecution on the grounds that every group is somewhere a minority is to argue logically, but such a defense is hardly on the ethical level of the Golden Rule. Freedom of worship is important to the religious person for its own sake. But even the non-religious finds it no less essential. Freedom of speech, or freedom from fear, are hardly compatible with a system that denies religious freedom, and it is a shallow idea of want that finds only physical needs to satisfy. The freedom of man's conscience is primary to any liberty he may enjoy.

C. O. M.

## Strange Tricks The Lighting Plays...



"L'ETAT, C'EST MOI!" — Maurice XIV

## The Daily Meets FRANK RONCARELLI

by Charles McHale

Frank Roncarelli is not only the proprietor of Roncarelli's Restaurant and the Quaff-Quaff. He has also become the storm-centre of the fight for civil liberties in the Province of Quebec. This transformation was accomplished quite effortlessly when the Provincial Attorney-General, Maurice Duplessis, decided to revoke Mr. Roncarelli's liquor license because the holder had on many occasions posted bail for members of the Jehovah's Witness sect.

Frank Roncarelli was, in his youth, a partial student at McGill University. Although he studied law, it was international highway construction that finally claimed

Roncarelli became a fascist because of his strong religious beliefs, and because the fascists were the only people then combatting the atheistic system of Communist Russia.  
It was these same strong religious beliefs, the product of his childhood training and his own studies in the Bible, that eventually caused his break with fascism. Mussolini declared himself to be sent from God, a claim echoed by many of the Italian clergy. These statements conflicted with Roncarelli's teaching and beliefs. The result was his leaving the fascist fold, and his appearance in a courtroom in Milan on December 23rd, 1935, where he made a public statement showing that he was no longer in sympathy with the fascist movement. He was accordingly thrown out of Italy for, as he puts it, his Christian beliefs.  
Mr. Roncarelli, I am convinced, is completely sincere in his beliefs. He is, however, neither a fanatic nor a bigot.  
He is entirely affable, and in no way forces his opinions on others. His insistence is on matters in which more of us can agree.  
"The British Empire," Mr. Roncarelli said, "is founded on freedom and the Bible." Hardly the words of a person engaged in the provocation of justice or the encouragement of sedition!

Mr. Roncarelli intends to continue operating his restaurant at 1429 Crescent street for, as he said, people appreciate good food as much as they do good drinks. He also expressed his confidence that Mr. Duplessis will return the liquor license when he realizes that Roncarelli has done nothing illegal in what he calls his "fight for freedom and for the rights of everyone to worship God according to the dictates of his conscience."



FRANK RONCARELLI

him. His work in Europe took him to Italy in the middle of Mussolini's rule. Before long Roncarelli was himself favouring fascism.  
Why did Frank Roncarelli become a fascist? The answer to this query is necessary to our understanding of Mr. Roncarelli, and it also has unusual pertinence due to the fact that the provincial premier has excused his actions against the Jehovah's Witnesses with the statement that he would not tolerate Communism or atheism. Frank

## POLITICAL COMMENT

The Quebec Provincial Government is now carrying out tactics worthy of a totalitarian regime in prosecuting the Witnesses of Jehovah sect. The Premier has accused the Witnesses of participating in seditious activity, comparing them to Nazis and Communists. If I were a Jehovah's Witness I would vehemently object to such a libellous campaign.

I have read the pamphlet "Quebec's Burning Hate" which is, to say the least, in poor taste. Does the publication and distribution of an article criticizing the Roman Catholic Church and the Union Nationale government justify prosecution? NO, not where British justice prevails!

The Quebec Government has always denied domination by or excessive affiliation with the clergy—but its continued activity against Communists and such groups as the Jehovah's Witnesses gives the lie to these assertions. If Mr. Duplessis obtains a judgement against the Witnesses a dangerous precedent may be set.

An example of the prejudice shown against the J.W.'s is the cancellation of cafe-owner Frank Roncarelli's liquor permit by the Provincial authorities. Mr. Roncarelli has furnished bond for most of the accused Witnesses and has given a good deal of support to the movement. Court action is not being taken against Mr. Roncarelli, and if the license has been cancelled for violation of the liquor laws it seems a remarkable coincidence that the police should choose this, of all times, to cancel the permit.

I am neither a Witness of Jehovah nor a Communist, but I object to the abrogation of the rights of these and similar antagonistic organizations unless and/or until it can be proved that such groups are operating contrary to the best interests of the public by treasonous or truly seditious acts—and not acts which prove embarrassing or annoying to the Roman Catholic religion, the Union Nationale Party or any other such organization.

PETER M. BROPHY.

"Today, Roncarelli is identifying himself with the odious propaganda of the Witnesses of Jehovah and as a result, I have ordered the Liquor Commission to cancel his permit for the restaurant he operates at 1429 Crescent street." With these words Mr. Duplessis, Premier of our province, made a decision yesterday which is of concern to all those who value the liberty of the individual and our democratic way of life.  
That anybody should be persecuted in this way for the sole reason that his way of worshipping God is contrary to that of the Premier's is a warning to us all that freedom needs to be defended, not only on the battlefields of the continents, but also in our own country and province.  
If the Witnesses of Jehovah are seditious criminals, it is up to the criminal law of the country to so rule. If their literature is libellous, it is up to the courts, upon trial, to prosecute them. But that a citizen should be put out of business by the government, without trial, for the simple reason that he supports a certain religious sect, is a procedure void of any ethical or constitutional justification.  
One can only surmise from this action that the Witnesses of Jehovah are being used as a scapegoat for personal entrenchment of power, in a manner not too unlike, one is forced to remark, the use of the Jews as a scapegoat in a country we fought and defeated. The dangers involved in such a trend are only too obvious.  
One might also glance at the political implications across Canada of this action. Can we not imagine our Toronto Imperialists saying: "If this is the way our French-speaking compatriots treat their minorities, we must at all costs prevent their influence from spreading and population from increasing, lest we ourselves become the victim of such treatment?" I do not for a moment believe that this action has the backing of the French-speaking citizens of this province, yet I cannot help feeling that it will result in a great lowering of the prestige of their province in the eyes of the other provinces, and indeed foment

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## The Facts Of The Case

The following is a summary of facts and incidents pertaining to the attack of Premier Duplessis on the Jehovah Witnesses prepared by the temporary McGill Committee of Civil and Religious Liberties.

1) There is a by-law in this city requiring a licence before it is legal to distribute circulars. This law in itself must be regarded to a certain extent as violating democratic rights to expression and assembly.

2) It has been the custom in many cases not to grant the necessary licences to the Jehovah's Witnesses which is clearly an attitude of discrimination.

3) Under these circumstances the Witnesses have in many cases distributed their pamphlets without a licence and have been arrested for infringement of a by-law. The Records Courts have demanded extraordinary bail often \$800.00 in property or \$500.00 in cash and in other cases Witnesses have been kept in jail for several days before they were even permitted to appeal for bail.

4) Mr. Duplessis is following a well known precedent of his by branding the sect as illegal and seditious. In the first place the infraction of a city by-law can lead the individual concerned to be judged guilty by the court but this in no way makes the group of which he or she is a member illegal. Secondly only the courts and not Mr. Duplessis can judge whether a piece of literature is seditious.

5) In fairness there is no sense in overlooking the fact that certain of the pamphlets published by the witnesses are of an inflammatory nature. It is a right to practise one's own religion but the line is difficult to draw as to how much one can slander another. However, we, in a democratic society, believe that in the long run we lead a fuller more progressive life by permitting a perfectly free play of ideas (within a certain defined legal framework, including laws of slander etc.). The dividing line between liberty and license is very narrow and not only Mr. Duplessis' statements but his actions have indicated that he has generalized a few particular violations, or what he considers violations, into a general attack upon the freedom of this whole group.

6) The Roncarelli incident probably has crystallized for the public the very dangerous scope of this whole campaign. Mr. Duplessis has given as his excuse for taking away Mr. Roncarelli's licence the reason that Roncarelli was using funds gained from a government privilege (his licence) to support a seditious

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# Redmen Drown Varsity Blues in Waterpolo Match

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Heney, Orr Victors in Boxing; Kowal in Wrestling

That little black rubber ball certainly took a beating down at the squash courts on Saturday night as the McGill graduates and current Red and White squash players battled it out for supremacy. Although the set scores indicate that seemingly easy victories were scored, actually every game was very closely contested, running to deuce matches in many cases.

Unfortunately the games scheduled to take place could not be held in some instances, as Al Gillespie and Todd of the McGill squad were not able to play due to injuries. However some excellent competition was provided for the graduates in the persons of Neil Lau and Al Ward as replacements.

ONE EACH  
In the first match, Lemesurier defeated graduate T. Dessauls by the score of 3-1; but the graduates were not to be outdone as they came back in the next match headed by T. Woelver who topped D. Stairs 3-1.

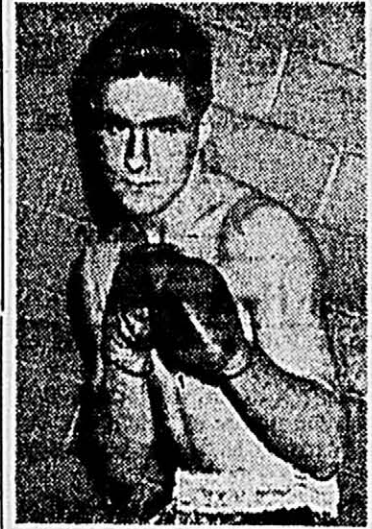
J. Coristine of the graduates, who was supposed to meet Al Gillespie, was opposed instead by Lau, and was decisively defeated 3-1. Once more the graduates rallied, this time under R. Patch who was successful in felling the consistent attempts of R. Crepault, by the score of 3-2.

The last match brought together R. Linton upholding the graduate side and substitute Al Ward, and it's your guess as good as ours who took this last gruelling exhibition, for at this point Kowal was in the process of pinning his rival to the mat and your reporter ran out to see the grand finale.

By LARRY SIROTA  
(Daily Staff Writer)

The McGill boxing team might have lost three of its five bouts Saturday night, but it won the admiration and respect of a flock of students who witnessed the proceedings. For although Dakin, Piper and Adams went down to defeat, they did themselves proud in holding their more experienced and better conditioned rivals to close won decisions. These losses were more than recompensed for by the brilliant victories of Milton Orr and Johnny Heney, crack Red welters.

In taking the measure of Rozzi, Heney displayed a tantalizing left hook and neat boxing skill that



Milt Orr

stood him in good stead over his superbly conditioned opponent, who obviously had had more bouts than Johnny. Heney won the bout by a comfortable margin.

ORR VICTORIOUS

It was the Orr-Troughton match that brought a gleam in Coach Phillips' eye, for though outweighed by about 15 pounds, Miltie gave Troughton, recent tourney trophy winner, a good, pasting. Miltie never gave his ring-wise foe a chance to get started and midway through the third round had the St. Anthony boy in dire straits. The match got a rousing round of applause from the pleased audience.

It was a case of two fighters boxing the same style that characterized Dakin's set-to with McNab. The short and stocky McNab packed the heavier artillery and forced Dakin to carry the fight, something Sid prefers his opponent to do. In this way the Army boy's superior counter punching gave him the judges' nod but not before Dakin threw a scare into him in the third canto, when he got his educated left with a right cross work.

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By MARTY FRANKLIN

The Red and White Intercollegiate Wrestling Champions didn't fare so well last Saturday night at the Athletics Festival as the five grapplers from Williams College took four out of the five matches on the card. Wally Kowal in the 190 pound class was the sole winner for McGill.

Opening the competition, 5'4" stocky Sherry Raymond squared off with 5'8" lean and sinewy Paul Cook, 1944 Rhode Island state champion. In the first frame both men were evenly matched, but in the second stanza, Cook's marked superiority came into evidence and he won the match.

CLOSE DECISION

Jim Stafford of McGill, in his first year of intercollegiate competition, met up with Henry Bell in the next bout. He soon found himself handicapped by Bell's superior height and Jim tried in vain to bore into the Williams mauler. The final decision was Bell 48, Stafford 47.

Canadian Intercollegiate champ Doc Sabbath met up with Jack Herndon in the next match; and once again it turned out that the McGill opponent's edge in height (6' to 5'7") was too much for the Red and White grappler. Sabbath was definitely not up to his usual standards so that Herndon had little trouble in pinning his opponent to the mat twice in a row.

ANOTHER NEWCOMER

Jim McLeod, another newcomer to the McGill mat squad, lost out by a close two points to the veteran New England A.A.U. champ Chuck Blakney. McLeod was stronger and more muscular than trim, lithe Blakney, but was not as well versed in ring tactics. It was in the second round that the experience of the Williams College mauler was brought forth, but he didn't have any cinch of a match, as he confided "McLeod is as strong as a bull! He is one of the most powerful men I've ever met."

The most fast-moving and exciting episode was the Wally Kowal, Hank Lucas fray. Kowal, who possesses a massive physique completely overshadowed his opponent in strength, style and condition. Lucas managed to evade Wally's tiger-like blitzkreigs during the first round, but in the second stanza he wasn't as successful and Kowal succeeded in pinning him flat on his back. And so, McGill had snared one of the five bouts of the evening against the Williams grapplers.

## Big Comeback Prepared For By Sailing Club

The McGill Sailing Club, inactive since the early days of the war, is back on the Campus again, with active plans not only for Spring and Summer, but for this Winter also—and when we say plans, we aren't kidding, for the M.S.C. has obtained plans (blueprints to the Engineers) for the very popular Marconi-Sloop-Rigged Y-Flyer. And what are we planning to do with said plans? Why build 'Y' Flyers of course—five of them! But where to build them? The answer is conveniently simple for the McGill Sailing Club has obtained permission to use the top floor of the Field House at Molson's Stadium for a work shop.

FINANCIAL QUESTION

Obviously, the next question is what are the Club's financial sources for this venture? The answer, though not quite as simple as the last, is indeed promising and depends on you, the student members of the M.S.C.—but the way you think I mean! We are not canvassing you for donations—no indeed; we are offering you to win a 'Y' Flyer for your very own; we said that the McGill Sailing Club is building five 'Y's—well one is to be held up for raffle. The other four will remain the property of the M.S.C. Tickets will be on sale this Wednesday at 25c a piece and five for \$1.00. Also in the winter agenda are the opportunities for sailing enthusiasts, both green and experienced, to brush up on their knowledge of sailing and racing tactics by availing themselves of instructional classes which will be held during the Winter term.

Next Spring or Fall McGill hopes to enter a team in the intercollegiate sailing meet and also send a team down to M.I.T. in Boston.

But for more information about

## Mahon Tallies Four Goals As McGill Seven Wins 8-3; Tackle Queen's Next Week

By ARCHIE BRENHOUSE

Playing before a capacity house the McGill Redmen came through last Saturday afternoon to beat the Varsity Blues 8-3 in a hard-fought game. With their first win under their belts the Red and White squad now stand tied for first place with Varsity, who trimmed the Queen's seven last week to the tune of 14-2. This definitely places the odds on the McGill side to cop the championship next week, when they play Queens at Kingston.

Among the honorary officials present were: Commander Paul Earle, Brigadier General James Ross, H. E. Herschorn, O.B.E., Mrs. Sellar, Pres. C.A.S.A., Major Forbes, Jack Jardine, George Hodgson, George Draper, G. Dickerson, and Hugh Savage.

MAHON STARS

Starring for McGill was Mahon, who deposited half of the Red goals behind the Varsity net-minder; while Gerry Cooper sank two, one being assisted by Elliot Young, who, despite his penalty which he received in the third quarter, played one of his finest defensive games. Art Earle and Geoff Ince of the McGill crew were good for one piece and played a hard-driving offensive game. Tank Townsend guarded the net with his usual brilliance, but couldn't quite come through with a much-desired shut-out. Better luck next time Dave.

SAMSON FOR VARSITY

Leading the line-up for Varsity was Fred Samson, who broke through in the third and fourth quarters and sank the ball twice into the McGill nets. Les Currie also played a fast game for the Blues and was responsible for Varsity's third goal.

In the C.A.P.A. league, the McGill Junior team will be out against Maisonneuve tonight at 8.30, at the latter's pool. McGill beat Maisonneuve in a previous tilt and this time the east-end boys are out for revenge.

The line-up for tonight's game is as follows:

Goal: Huggesson; Defence: Cameron and Tilden; Centre: Davies; Rover: Hoffman; Forwards: Parkinson and Mullins.

## Softball Game For Gunn Cup Next Thursday

The very successful indoor softball season is going into its last lap, with the final game for the championship and Gunn Cup scheduled for this Thursday at 6.00 p.m. The league has been divided into three sections with the intention of having the three top teams play off for the championship. The winner in section 1 is Engineering 2A while the top teams in the other two sections is yet to be determined.

PROTEST GAME

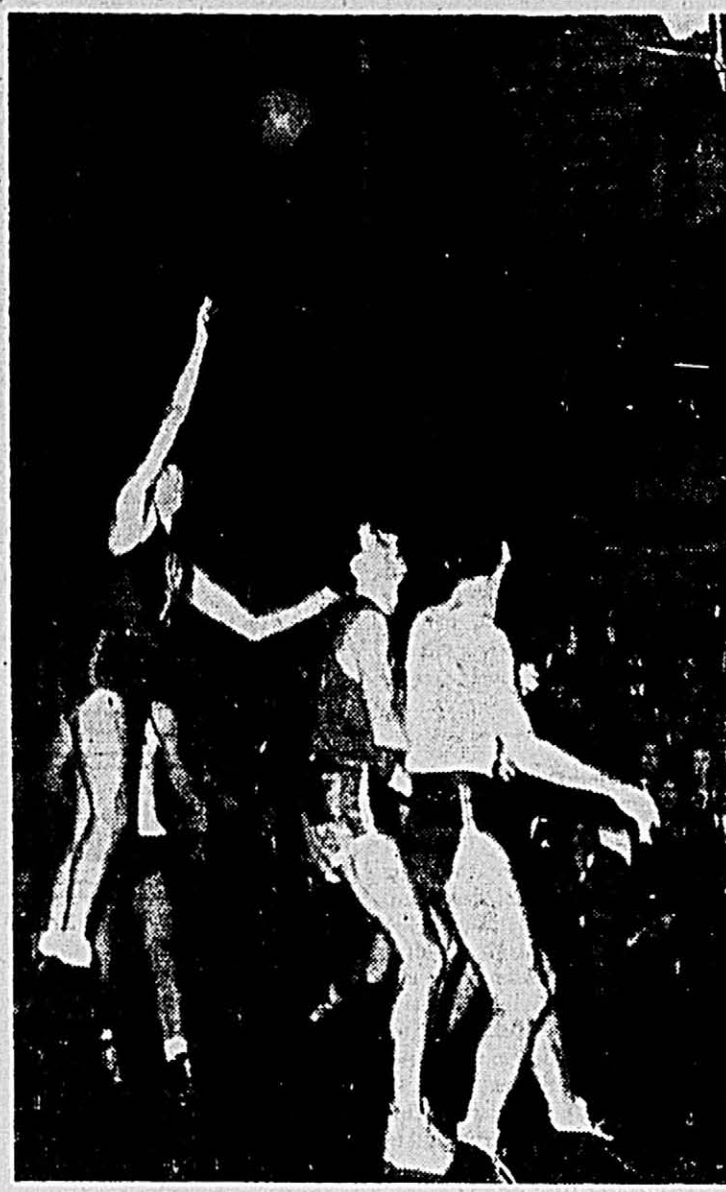
In section two, Arts and Science 3 & 4, Med. 1 and Phys. Ed. 2 were tied for first place. The Arts-Science outfit beat the Med crew and are scheduled to play Phys. Ed. tomorrow at 6.00 p.m. for the championship of the section. In section three Engineering 4 and Phys. Ed. 3 were tied for the top spot and played off last week, but the game ended in a protest with the result that the Intra-Mural Athletics Council decided that the game would be played over tomorrow at 5.15 p.m. The winner of this game will meet Engineering 2A on Thursday at 5.15 p.m. and the victor of this match will take to the floor against the champs of section two in the final game of the season for the Gunn Cup at 6 o'clock the same day.

Schedule of games:

Tuesday:  
5.15 p.m.—Eng. 4 vs. Phys. Ed. 3 (section 3)  
6.00 p.m.—Phys. Ed. 2 vs. Arts-Science 3 & 4 (section 2)  
Thursday:  
5.15 p.m.—Eng. 2A vs. winner section 3  
6.00 p.m.—Winner above vs. Winner section 2. (Final Gunn Cup game).

If any team is unable to conform to the times, get in touch with Mr. Finlay, PL. 4488 immediately.

your favorite sport watch the Daily and come to the big general meeting in the Union Ball Room at 5.15 on Wednesday.



Pictured above, approximately one foot off the floor is starry GEORGE DAVIDON (No. 3), who is about to add another two points to his total of 17 for the night. Others seen in the picture are Fraser of McGill, and in front of him, Peck of Clarkson.

## Ottawa Varsity Wins Intermediate Exhibition Over McGill Cagers

The Currie Gymnasium was the scene of a hard-fought hot spirited cage event on Saturday afternoon, when the Ottawa Varsity quintet edged out the McGill Intermediates in an all-out exhibition tilt.

Father Marcoux's boys, who previously beat Queen's and Georgians, senior teams, managed their 47-38 victory over the Redmen by the shifty shooting and passing of 'Volsel' and M. O'Keefe who took good advantage of little Lefaive's set-up plays.

LANIER AND ZALKIND

It was mainly due to the brilliant, all-out playing of Lanier and Moffat, coupled with the deadly shooting of Evans, Zalkind and Elo that the McGillians were able to hold the Ottawans to a nine-point win.

The fighting spirit of the game started with the opening whistle—Doherty of McGill sinking a basket within three seconds of play. From then on it was neck and neck, up and down the floor at a gruelling pace. With 30 seconds to go in the first half, the score was 21-20 in favor of the visitors. A basket by Lefaive put them ahead 23-20. This Ottawa lead was relinquished only once in the ensuing play when, in the second half, Moffat swished the cordage to put the Redmen ahead 34-33.

The 64 dollar question of the day was asked by referee Brenhouse's son (aged six or so) "Daddy, what team do you stick up for?"

SECOND HALF

The second half started off unfavourably for the Redmen with M. O'Keefe and Lefaive netting two points each within two minutes of play. Again the neck and neck racing started. The Ottawans would get ahead by a few points. Under the increased pressure the Redmen would come within one point of tying the score—only to be left behind by a Varsity spurt. Moffat's shot put the McGillians ahead by one point halfway in the second period. This lead lasted 45 seconds.

In general the Redmen were outstanding in their close checking, with the Ottawa Five taking all laurels in passing and well timed plays. The Ottawans were also very effective in intercepting passes and this accounts for many of the difficulties ironed out.

COED SQUASH

Coeds are reminded that there will be coaching in the Currie Gym on Tuesday afternoon from 2.15-3.45 p.m. Now that a coach has been obtained, it is a good chance to learn a few pointers about the game and have some of the difficulties ironed out.

## Floor Hockey Teams Play Tonight in Gym

The floor hockey league at McGill will get underway tonight with a doubleheader scheduled at Sir Arthur Currie gym. Commerce meets Engineering "A" in the first game, slated to start at exactly 7.15, while a combined Arts, Science and Law team will oppose Engineering "B" in the second contest.

As yet, the four teams scheduled to play tonight are the only ones that have been admitted to the league. If there is anybody in McGill who wants to play floor hockey, and is not on one of these teams, he is invited to come down tonight.

THREE PERIODS

As for the games themselves, they will be played in three 10 minute periods, each pair of teams alternating, 10 mins. on, 10 mins. off. This will give the players a chance to rest between periods, as well as ensuring that both games will be over by 8.30, so that the floor hockey enthusiasts can return to their

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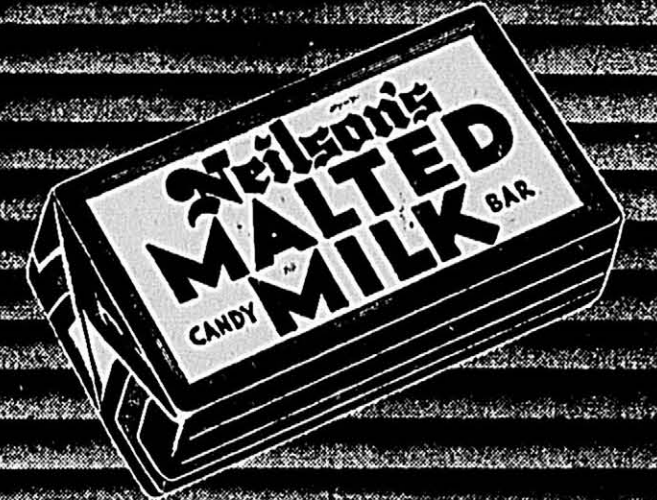
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### CO-ED DEBATERS

This debate will be the first one of the year featuring co-ed debaters. For McGill Ann Ryan and Vivian Epstein will be opposing the resolution. This marks a continuation of the friendly rivalry which exists between the two colleges in the forensic sphere. Last year McGill won both ends of the home-and-home series but the Vermont college is noted for its Speech department under the direction of Professor Perkins.

McGill has been undefeated in intercollegiate competition this year winning two matches from Harvard, Varsity and one contest from Loyola in what has been the most successful debating seasons in recent years.

### JUDGES

Judges for the debate are three well known Montreal men, Edmund C. Collard, International lawyer who represented McGill in a debating tour of the British Isles will be one of the adjudicators

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while the other two include N. W. Jacobs, K.C., noted Montreal barrister and G. J. Fitzgerald, city editor of the Montreal Gazette. Chairman for the debate will be Ted Huggesen, secretary of the McGill Debating Union.

### Voting—p. 1

#### ARCHITECTURE

Acclamation Barbeau, Bernard L.; Gagnon, Gilles; Loshak, Lionel J.

#### SCARLET KEY GROUP "B"

#### COMMERCE

Chippindale, Warren; Paterson, Robert; Porter, John D.; Smith, Robert W.; Stevens, David; Trivett, Wilfrid L. S.; Taylor, E. Dorrance.

#### ENGINEERING

Clayson, Earle H. R.; Gurnham, John A.; Lehmann, Edmund R.; Turner-Bone, John; Wake, K. P.; Watson, Douglas I.

#### ARTS & SCIENCE

Feldman, Sidney; Kirky, Roy; Percy, Edward C.; Pugash, Harold.

#### MEDICINE

MacFarlane, Russell B.

#### DENTISTRY

Armstrong, George D.; Geddes, Stewart G.

#### RED WINGS

First Year Resident: Edith Gooding, Barbara Walsh, Alice Ross, Katherine (Kay) Little.

Non-Resident: Carol Landry, Alice Stewart.

2nd Year Resident: Caroline Smith, Dorothy Ing, Beverly Reid, Yvonne Field.

Non-Resident: Rosalind Cohen, Inger Jorgensen, Anne Deane, Amy Fowler.

3rd Year Resident: Rosemary Lake, Fay Campbell, Anita Tenzer, Edith Cannon, Mary MacLean, Jean Sworits.

Non-Resident: Helen MacLure, Sheila Beaton.

3rd Year M.S.P.E.: Allison Ramsey (by acclamation).

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ing of the Students' Society.

This Committee wishes to make quite clear the fact that it in no way supports methods or many of the beliefs of the Jehovah Witnesses. This is not a case of supporting the Witnesses but of strongly objecting to the methods that are being used against them.

Some students may feel that it is perhaps unnecessary and/or useless for McGill students to consider taking action on this matter. This committee feels that an attitude such as this is actually more dangerous than the persecutions that are actually taking place. The methods used by Mr. Duplessis against the Witnesses attack the very principles of democracy and the basis for our Confederation of many races and religions. If we fail to meet this challenge the moral and political consciousness of our community may well become calloused to worse violations in the future.

This committee feels that once the facts are before McGill students the issues are quite clear, and that it is our duty as students and members of the community to take immediate and definite action.

We hope that all students, undergraduate societies, and campus clubs will join together in a common effort to protest against the very regrettable actions of the Provincial Government in the most effective way possible.

(Signed) JAMES PATERSON  
Chairman

C. PRATT  
L. BEATON  
V. GORING  
L. DAVICHO

Wrestling—p. 3

ing.

PIPER IN MIS-MATCH

Johnny Piper was badly mismatched in his joust with Jones, who was slated to meet Adams. Johnny found that giving away ten pounds, more experience, a better punch and a shoulder injury in the first heat too much to combat and did well to last out the distance with Jones, the possessor of a pulverizing right hand. Jones knocked Piper down twice but couldn't put the McGillian away as Piper's speed stood him in good stead.

Adams found a tough customer in Walt Morrison, who didn't seem to be bothered by the southpaw style of the Redman. Bill is sure to improve off this show as a number of times he had golden opportuni-

## E. Deslauriers Will Speak To Conservatives

"The Progressive Conservative Party in Quebec" will be the subject of an address by Elmo E. Deslauriers at a meeting of the Progressive Conservative Club today at 1 o'clock in the Players Club Room of the McGill Union.

Mr. Deslauriers, who has been Mayor of St. Annes for the past eight years, ran in the last election as the Progressive Conservative candidate in the constituency of Jacques Cartier. He has taken a very active part in the reorganization of the Progressive Conservative Party in this province under the leadership of Mr. Ivan Sabourin and participated in the recent Annual Meeting of the National Progressive Conservative Association in Ottawa. In the course of his business Mr. Deslauriers travels extensively throughout Quebec and is therefore in touch with the latest developments in the different areas.

A discussion period will ensue at the conclusion of Mr. Deslauriers' remarks, and students may take this opportunity to ask questions. All undergraduates are invited to attend.

ties to turn the tide of the fight but was just a little slow in taking advantage of them. Morrison proved the better man in the infighting and his forceful, bulldog style didn't offer Adams any chance to put over his most potent punch, the old one-two.

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adding machine in their shooting. In fact, statistics show that the Redmen matched them shot for shot but not quite point for point.

As Coach Lou Davies saw it, the McGill cagers are playing better than they did last season, and will benefit greatly from their American exhibitions. "Western," he said, "played 17 tilts south of the border last season, did not win any of them, but were a house on fire once they hit the intercollegiate trail."

25 POINT DIFFERENCE  
The 25-point difference in the score is not an indication of the Redmen's shortcomings, but rather an index of the strength of the Clarkson attack.

Clarkson: Farmer 21, Cragnolin 20, Milvaney, Peck 11, Wagner 7, Davis 6, Halpern 2, Horton, Elliot, Hyde, Priest 2, Fitzgerald 3, Bregg.

McGill: Davidson 17, Roth 8, Hoyle 10, Weisberg 4, Bloom 2, Fitzgerald, Duford, Murray, Davine 2, Kaszas 1, Shacter, Frazer 3, Curran.

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far and hatred there. The political implications of Mr. Duplessis' action may be as odious as the action is unjust.

If a democracy is a genuine democracy, it should be able to withstand any criticism or unfavorable propaganda without resort to force. Insofar as a group acts within the law, it should be free to do as it pleases. To Mr. Duplessis' contention that "the propaganda of the Witnesses of Jehovah cannot be tolerated" I suggest: if it is within the law it must be tolerated, however odious or ridiculous it may seem to us to be.

JOHN CHIPMAN.

### LOST

At the Junior Prom, a Zeta Psi Fraternity Pin, Finder please call MA. 1736. Reward.

Liberal Cabinet for the Mock Parliament Wednesday, Dec. 11

Prime Minister—James Paterson.

Veterans Affairs—Rex Nickson.

Justice—Marcel Joyal.

Agriculture—Jack Crepeau.

Finance—John Chipman.

Reconstruction—Allister Fraser.

External Affairs—Jim Hyndman.

Defense—Allister Fraser.

Trade & Commerce—Max McMahon.

Labour—Frank Bell.

Public Works—Bill Macdonald.

Post Mistress General—Libby Abbott.

Health & Welfare—David Lewis.

Mines & Resources—David Mackenzie.

Solicitor General—Guy Blanchette.

Transport—Bob Paterson.

Secretary of State—Sandy Mills.

National Revenue—John Taylor.

Fisheries—Ralph Forbes.

Will these ministers and all other members of the Liberal Club please attend the Party Caucus to be held in the Union Music Room today at one p.m. The Bill to be presented at the Model Parliament will be further discussed.

## Music Director



—Kostiner-Postuns Photo  
A student at the McGill Conservatorium, DARCÝ SHEA, is the Music Director of this year's RED AND WHITE REVUE. During the war he was with the "RCAF Blackouts" and toured over many war areas as well as Canada and Alaska. Last year he directed the Revue orchestra, as he is doing this year.

## Club News

### LABOR PROGRESSIVE PARTY CLUB.

There will be a Party Caucus of all the L.P.P. members of the Model Parliament, Monday, December 9, at 8 p.m. in the Grill Room.

It is of the utmost importance that all members attend. In this way we will ensure the success of the Parliament, and it will give us a chance to learn the contents of the forthcoming Bill. At the same time it will give us an opportunity to rehearse our song which we will sing during the session.

### CHRISTIANITY, POLITICS AND ECONOMICS

At the Staff-Student Forum which will be held on Friday evening, December 13th, at 8 p.m. in the Union Grill the following question will be discussed—Can realistic economic and political reform plans achieve the beneficial results at which they aim if the powerful religious forces which exercise control over the undesirable features of human nature are disregarded?

The discussion will be opened by Mr. Glenn Cowan, who after graduating from McGill served for four years with the R.C.N.V.R., and at present is coach of the McGill track team.

Faculty members and students who are interested in the subject of the Forum, which is being sponsored by the McGill Staff Christian Association, are invited to attend and to take part in it.

### ENGLISH LITERATURE SOCIETY

Who: The English Literature Society.

What: will hold its monthly meeting.

Where: R.V.C. common room.

When: tonight at 8:30 p.m.

Why: to hear John Sutherland, publisher and associate editor of "The Northern Review", speak on Modern Canadian Poetry.

### THE PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

A meeting of the Philosophical Society will take place in the Common Room R.V.C. on Tuesday evening, December 10, at 8:00 p.m. Mr. Tony Chipman, Fourth Year honours student in Philosophy, will read a paper entitled "The Place of Pleasure in Ethics." A cordial invitation is extended to all students.

### LIBERAL CLUB

All members of the Liberal Club are reminded of the important meeting of the Club to be held on Monday, December 9th, at 1 p.m. in the Union Music Room. Final discussion will take place on the resolutions to be presented at the coming session of the Model Parliament.

A list of the members of the Cabinet will be announced shortly; it is the intention of the Club Executive to have the Cabinet members as representative as possible. Watch your Daily for any further announcements and remember on Monday at 1 p.m.

### STUDENT VETERANS

A meeting of the McGill Student Veterans' Society will be held in the Union Ballroom on Tuesday at five o'clock and every veteran is urged to attend so that there will be a quorum and the business that has to be done may be completed on this occasion.

### PHYSIOTHERAPY

An open meeting of the McGill Physiotherapy Society was held in the Women's Union Room at R.V.C.

on Thursday, December 5th. A brief business meeting was held prior to an address by Dr. Rabinovitch of the Montreal Neurological Institute, who chose as his topic "Intervertebral Discs."

### CAMERA CLUB

The Club will meet on Wednesday, Dec. 11th. The lecture on Night Photography which was scheduled for the last meeting had been postponed due to unforeseen circumstances and will be delivered by Professor Sproule at this Wednesday's meeting. If possible bring down your camera since the Club expects to have its picture taken for the Annual.

### S.C.M.

After supper tonight, Mr. Murray Chippman will speak to a group of all interested on the topic "The Word Made Flesh in a Free Society." Mr. Chippman is an active churchman in this city, and is interested in students obtaining a practical Christian outlook on economic and political systems. Being a prominent businessman in Montreal, he has a working knowledge of Free Enterprise, and in his talk he will deal with religion as a real force in this system. Everyone is invited to attend, at 6:30 in S.C.M. House, 3374 University street.

### COF CLUB

The next meeting of the study group on the tenets of socialism will take place as usual on Monday at five o'clock in the music room. The group will continue its review of Canadian politics.

### SPANISH CLUB

The Executive will meet today at 1 p.m. in the Union.

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I believe your representative should work to solve.

My opponent and I are of opposite political views, but I sincerely hope that this will have no influence on the election. I base my appeal for your support solely on the record of my past activities, and the ideas contained in this platform.

Activities:  
Chairman, Arts and Science Debating, President, McGill Liberal Club, Inter-University Debating, Spring Freshman Reception Committee, 1945 winner of Bovey Shield, Publicity Student Athletics Night.

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puck for the rest of the game to bring the bacon home. Starring for the Redmen were Gelleneau, Broderick, Gosselin and Tommy Hale while Pepin, Dion and Gignac were tops for the improved Hebert boys.

### ENGLISH RUGBY TEAM PICTURES

The English Rugby Team will have its picture taken today at 5:15 in the Gymnasium. The following are asked to attend: Al Gillespie, Andy Gillespie, Beck, Whitehead, McKell, Thompson, O'Brien, Cody, MacDonald, Goodwin, Smith, Berl, Brewerton, Tetley, Anderson, Simpson, Fraser.

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## U. of M. Students To Form Opposition In Model Parliament

## Liberals Issue Resolution On Quebec Rights

A new party will enter the House at Wednesday's Model Parliament which is scheduled for 8 p.m. in the Union Ballroom. University of Montreal students have been invited to come and form the official Opposition at this Parliament, and their party will attack the Liberal resolution on the grounds that it is a menace to Provincial Autonomy.

The four political clubs at McGill, through the steering committee, issued this invitation not only to hear a French-Canadian viewpoint on the Dominion Provincial question, but also to give Carabins and McGill students a chance to get to know each other.

The two main points in the Liberal Government resolution are increased Dominion taxing powers, and a compensatory fiscal policy to control the fluctuations of the business cycle. An official amendment has been entered by the Progressive Conservatives, attacking the coercive policy of the Government and recommending a Dominion Provincial agreement on a "give and take" basis, turning certain taxes completely over to the provinces.

The C.C.F. are expected to attack the Resolution on its fiscal policy, and they are generally understood to be in favor of the first part of the bill.

The L.P.P. have stated that they consider the Liberal fiscal proposals an admission that under capitalism, depressions are inevitable.

The Parliament will follow the example of the Dominion Parliament, using Canada's two official languages and employing a bilingual speaker.

### P.C. AMENDMENT

The following amendment has been proposed to the Liberal Bill: That the following be added as clause four:

That a Dominion Provincial Conference shall be called at once, and the Federal Government be prepared to negotiate an effective agreement with all the provinces on a "give and take" basis, without applying a policy of coercion or compulsion, and that the agreement must be subject to revision at the end of each five year period, and that duplicate taxation be avoided by giving the provinces the sole right of tax collection in the fields of gasoline, electricity, amusement, stock transfers, and pari-mutuel taxes.

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organization. In the first place, Mr. Duplessis cannot judge that the act is seditious. Only the Courts can do this. Secondly, the only support that Mr. Roncarelli can be alleged to have given the act is to post ball for its members. This is a

sities at Munich and Hamburg and in other German universities.

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### Faculty of Arts and Science ELECTIONS

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10

### Women students vote for:

R.V.C. Representative to the Student Executive Council;  
Arts and Science Representative to the Student Executive Council;  
Red Wings.

Women students may vote in any of the following places:  
Arts Building (Common Room);  
Chemistry Buildings;  
R.V.C.

### Men students vote for:

Arts and Science Representative to the Student Executive Council;  
Scarlet Key;

In Class "A", vote for 4 only.  
In Class "B", vote for 2 only.

Men students may vote in either of the following places:  
Arts Building;  
Chemistry Building.

Dawson students will vote in the Canteen.

Voting will take place from 10 A.M. to 3 P.M.

Arts and Science Membership Cards are necessary for voting;

Those who did not get membership cards or have lost them may obtain them at the booths in the Arts Building on the day of voting.

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